SEVEN DIE IN KOTON-KARFE -ABUJA HIGHWAY CRASH

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Seven people yesterday lost their lives while another person sustained serious injuries in an auto crash that occurred at Gaba village along Koton-Karfe Abuja Highway. *Sunday Independent* gathered that two vehicles, a truck with registration number LSR 721XB and a Golf car with registration number GYA 96 AA were involved in the ugly incident.

The auto crash was said to have happened when one of the vehicles overtook dangerously and in the process rammed into an on coming vehicle, killing seven persons and injuring one on the spot.

Mohammed Garba, the state sector commander of the Federal Road Safety Corps, who confirmed the incident, attributed it to over speeding, disclosing that 10 people were involved in the accident.

He equally disclosed that the corpses of the departed have been deposited at the mortuary of Hankuri Hospital in Lokoja while the injured victim was taken to the hospital for treatment.

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